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NEWS, INFORMATION, EVENTS, RUMOURS AND HOT FLASHES hurtle through the mail and the telephone lines to the pulsing data nerve centre of Capilano College-Information Services.

----- AND * HERE * IT * IS -----

There's a great deal of interest and excitement in Sechelt over the new Capilano College expansion, says April Struthers. April has just been appointed Community Education Assistant for the Sunshine Coast Learning Centre and she is happy with her new job. A transplanted city person who now resides on a small farm with lots of animals, April has been involved in many different types of education and community work. Since she started she's had constant phone calls from community members interested in Capilano courses of all different kinds, particularly Business Management. "There's a real physical and psychological distance between the Sunshine Coast and the Lower Mainland," explained April, which accounts for the deep interest of the residents in the new opportunities being offered by Cap. Welcome, April, and much luck in developing our newest campus.



One trend of the 1980's is the increasing volume of statistics, statistical trends and probability that we deal with every day. Bearing that in mind many instructors are interested in giving greater emphasis to Statistics and Probability in curriculum and that is what they will be discussing at Vanstat '80--a workshop at Capilano February 22 and 23. Cap College mathematical types Ted Bentley and Alf Waterman are involved in the planning and presentation of this conference, so if you're interested in use of computers, surveys, simulation games and other related topics, contact them for more information.



Joy Smith looks chipper. She's through her gallbladder operation and can now compare scars with Bill McPhee.

And now, a proclamation from the Personnel Department: "The Election Act provides: Each employee who qualifies as an elector is entitled to four (4) consecutive hours, while the polls are open, during which to vote. If such requires that an employee be granted time off work, whether before, during or after normal hours of work, such time must be considered as time off with pay." And now a question from me: Has anyone figured out how a person can possibly take FOUR HOURS to vote? The mind boggles. Perhaps they're assuming that you use the first three to make up your mind.



Congratulations and a lot of moral support to Capilano's Curling team of Jamie Sanford, Diane Cook, Shelly Strassman, and Doug Vanderspek. These talented people won the Totem Conference Championship in Nanaimo and are heading off to Edmonton in the next few weeks to represent B.C. in the Western Canadian Finals. There should be stiff competition

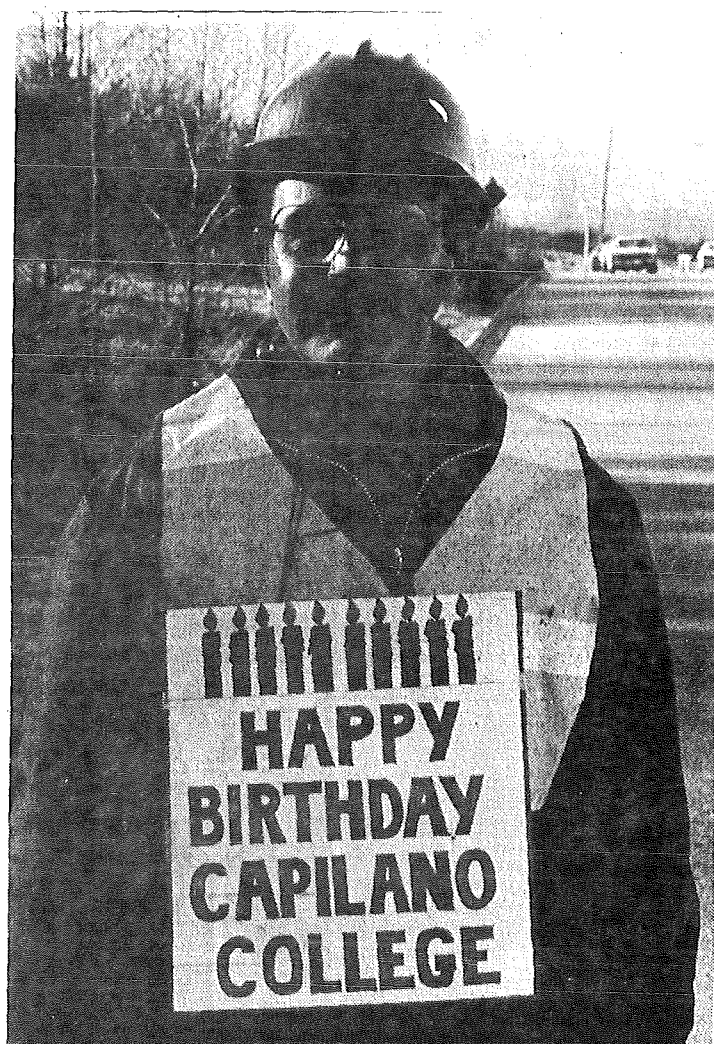


from the prairie teams, but we think our 4 stand a good chance. Again,

Congratulations and good luck, team.



There's one person around college that you probably know to see, even if you don't know him by name. That individual is Raul Suarez, the crossing guard at Lillooet Rd. and Purcell Way. Thanks to his signs and friendliness, Raul has become something of a local landmark, but that, unfortunately, has come to an end. If you missed Raul when you drove by, it's because he's left to take a job at the Courthouse Complex -- formerly the Capilano Winter Club--working at the Squash and Handball desk. It wasn't an easy decision to make. Raul really enjoyed his morning and afternoon beat and felt very torn when he had to make up his mind, but the job won out. So, it's good-bye and good luck to the one person on the Lower Mainland who probably gets waved at more often than an engineer on the Royal Hudson. And the kids who were exchanging Valentines with him on Thursday will really miss him too.



Dr. Dennis Wright from Learning Assistance will be in the limelight on Friday. He's speaking on the Adult Disabled Learner: A Community College Approach at the first Provincial Conference on Learning Disabilities at the Bayshore Inn. In case you happen to be at the Bayshore Inn that day, you can catch our celebrated speaker from 10:45 to 12:00 noon.



The Anthropology department is busy. Not only are they having a dance lecture, but they've coordinated a series of three events on the culture of the North West Coast. Now, everyone knows that you to to Europe and Asia to find history and culture, right? Wrong. The North West Coast has a long history and a fascinating indigenous culture which most of us unfortunately know very little about. If you'd like to learn more, join the Anthropology department for the following events. On Tuesday at 7:30 students will be meeting at the Museum of Anthropology at UBC for a lecture on West Coast art symbolism and form. Wednesday morning from 11:00-12:30 Dr. Phil Habler from SFU will be speaking and showing slides on new directions in archaeological interpretation. And later that day, from 7-10:00 pm, John Sparrow of the "Indian Voice" will speak on current Indian issues. Following his discussion, a feature film "Potlatch: A Strict Law Bids Us Dance" will be shown. All free, all interested persons invited.



The Anthropology of the Dance will be the topic for a special lecture on Wednesday from 9:00 - 10:30 a.m. If you've the time to spare, you're quite welcome to attend Richard Marcuse's lecture in NC106.



If you've been walking between the north and south campus you've undoubtedly noticed the pink ribbons tied around trees that we assume they're going to chop down. How depressing. At any rate, someone with a sense of humour has been tying them around the lamp posts. It could have interesting results if we get a shortsighted bulldozer driver...



Humble Apologies Column: To our new Board member from Sechelt, Dr. Eric Paetkau, the grovellingist apology for name spelling.

CAPWEEK

february 18, 1980

ELECTION DAY!!!

8:00 Good TV viewing on CBC

february 19, 1980

1:15 Birth Control workshop, Lounge

6:30 NSTV 10 show Probe 44 features Bob Rennie on Business Technology

7:00 Board inaugural meeting NB101

7:30 Museum of Anthropology lecture, UBC on NW Coast art symbolism & form

february 21, 1980

MID TERM BREAK - N. Cafe Closed

1:00 AUCE meeting, ND101

7:00 Probe 44 repeat

8:00 David Fennario reading, All College Lounge

february 23, 1980

6:30 & 8:15 Basketball vs Douglas College at Delbrook gym

VanStat Conference

february 20, 1980

11:00 - 12:30 Dr. Phil Habler, NC106

7:00 Indian Issues lecture, NC106

7:30 Mon Oncle Antoine, free movie, All College Lounge (subtitles)

9:00 - 10:30 am Dance lecture NC106

7:00 - 9:30 French drop-in B176

february 22, 1980

MID TERM BREAK - N. Cafe Closed

VanStat Conference

10:45 - Noon Dennis Wright speaking to conference at the Bayshore

february 24, 1980

Capilano College calendar of events for the week of

february 18, 1980